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INFORMAL PROPOSED AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicant proposes the following amendments to the claims of the above-referenced application. It is respectfully submitted that the following amended claims are allowable over the cited references. Please call the Applicant's attorney, Christian Nicholes, at (408) 414-1224, to discuss whether the proposed amended claims are allowable.

Respectfully submitted,

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